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RE: PITSEA PLANNING APPEAL

Dear Brian,

You will already have heard from Cllr Candy Sheridan that we gladly accept your offer to do the appeal against refusal of our planning application to develop a mobile-home park on the land at Terminus Drive, Pitsea, Essex.

Please me know if there are any more papers you need for this.

Meanwhile, I enclose the Minutes from our meeting on 23 October as an update.

Further to this, we have now asked the Gypsy Council to consider becoming a Registered Social Landlord (since the GC is a charity). Working with them, where membership already overlaps, would put us in a position to apply for funding from the Housing Corporation to eventually lease or buy the site, if our planning appeal is successful and the present owners, English Partnership is willing (along the lines suggested by John Prescott) to dispose of the land. The GC will discuss this at its next meeting on 8 December.

Yours sincerely,

Grattan Puxon